

Grant Award Summary

Milwaukee Metropolitan Drug Enforcement Grant

Grant Type: Grant Continuation-Special Revenue

Grantor: U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

Grant Period: January 1st 2017—December 31st 2017

Award Amount: \$403,896 (\$187,972 from grantor, \$215,924 from City)

Match Required: 46.5% provided by Grantor /53.5% provided by the City

Fiscal Agent: MPD

MPD Sub-Awardee: Granted through the Wisconsin Office of justice assistance and Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office

Allocation Purpose: Funds 46.5% of salary for one Police Officer, one Lieutenant and one Detective

Partners: High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA), Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF), Operations Decision Unit: Narcotics.

Program Goals

The Milwaukee Metropolitan Drug Enforcement grant aligns with the city-wide strategy to reduce crime and enhance quality of life by reducing the volume of controlled substances in the Milwaukee area. The funds for this grant are to be used to fund salaries for one police officer, one lieutenant and one detective assigned to the Milwaukee Police Department. The task force primary purpose is to interrupt illegal drug trafficking through intelligence gathering and undercover operations. The efforts made from this task force will assist and lead to successful prosecutions at State and Federal levels.

Programmatic Summary

The need for coordination of State and local governments along with Federal partners is crucial to combat drug trafficking due to the large scale of networks that extend past state and international borders. The funds for this grant are intended for multi-jurisdictional drug task forces in Wisconsin for the purpose of enhancing coordination, sharing intelligence, and facilitating multi-jurisdictional investigations focused on drugs and criminal investigations. Effectiveness of the task force will be measured in the ability to dismantle Priority Targeted Organizations (PTO) identified by the DEA, which align with local and nationwide missions.

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Data Summary:

The data within the table below counts all arrests by Milwaukee police officers by drug type for January 1 – December 31, 2014-2016. It should be noted that totals may not sum since an individual may be arrested for more than one charge and/or charge type. Furthermore, heroin arrests are inclusive of possession with intent to deliver and manufacturing and delivery, since possession of heroin falls under the scope of a Schedule I narcotic and cannot be determined.

Total drug arrests by the Milwaukee Police Department declined 19% from 2015-2016. The decline in marijuana arrests (-22%) contributed significantly to the decline in total drug arrests. The MPD increased arrests for cocaine (11% increase) and heroin (10% increase).

Milwaukee Police Department Drug Arrests (2014-2016)

Drug Type	2014	2015	2016	15-16 % Change
Cocaine	564	560	624	11%
Controlled Substance	70	66	52	-21%
Drug Paraphernalia	892	867	643	-26%
Hallucinogen	9	3	6	100%
Heroin	151	198	217	10%
Imitation	12	14	13	-7%
Marijuana/THC	3,706	2,965	2,310	-22%
Methamphetamine	12	7	22	214%
Prescription	9	6	5	-17%
Schedule I, II, III	412	457	444	-3%
Schedule IV, V	13	18	31	72%
Others	235	227	145	-36%
Total	5,173	4,448	3,598	-19%